IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
Plaintiff,)) 4:09CR3111)
v.)
HECTOR N. CERVANTES RIVERA, and BRIAN DARELL ZIEMS,) MEMORANDUM AND ORDER))
Defendants.)

Defendant Rivera's appointed counsel, Korey L. Reiman, has moved to withdraw. Filing No. <u>37</u>. Defendant Rivera's newly retained counsel, Matthew R. Kahler, has entered his appearance and has filed an unopposed motion to continue the trial set for January 11, 2010, explaining he needs an additional forty-five days to review the case, provide legal advice to defendant Rivera, and prepare for trial. Filing No. <u>38</u>. The court finds the pending motions should be granted. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED:

- 1) The motion to withdraw filed by Korey L. Reiman, (filing no. <u>37</u>), is granted. Mr. Reiman's name shall be withdraw from all future ECF filings.
- 2) Defendant Rivera's motion to continue, (filing no. <u>38</u>), is granted. Defendant Rivera's previously filed motion to continue the same trial date, (filing no. <u>36</u>), is denied as moot.
- 3) As to both defendants, the trial of this case is set to commence before Judge Warren K. Urbom at 9:00 a.m. on March 8, 2010 for a duration of four trial days. Jury selection will be at the commencement of trial.

4) Based upon the showing set forth in the defendant Rivera's motion and the representations of his counsel, the Court further finds that the ends of justice will be served by continuing the trial; and that the purposes served by continuing the trial date in this case outweigh the interest of the defendant and the public in a speedy trial. Accordingly, the time between today's date and March 8, 2010, shall be excluded for speedy trial calculation purposes. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A)

DATED this 28th day of December, 2009.

BY THE COURT:

Richard G. Kopf

United States District Judge